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## Pioneer Valley Teachers' Club

### Supper to Benefit Scholarship Fund

The Pioneer Valley Teachers club is serving a public supper at the school cafeteria on Saturday evening beginning at 5:30. This is the first time that the public has had the opportunity to observe the facilities of the school cafeteria where 300 people can be fed at one time. The menu will include tomato juice, pot roast with gravy, mashed potato, green peas and green beans, tossed salad, home-made bread and rolls, pickles, apple pie with cheese and coffee, tea or milk. The price is \$1.25 for adults and children above the sixth grade. Tickets may be purchased from any of the teachers or at the door. Children's tickets may be purchased at the door for 75¢. Proceeds from the supper will go toward a scholarship for a member of the senior class who plans to continue his education beyond high school. Those desiring transportation may call John Callaghan, phone 401, or the school, 2200.

### Fortnightly Meeting Terminates 53rd Year

The final meeting of the club year for the Fortnightly was held at the Northfield Hotel Friday afternoon. Introduced by Mrs. Howard Briggs, Miss Hermingilde Unger, an exchange teacher at the Northfield School for Girls under the Fulbright plan, spoke at the luncheon on "Women of My Country," Austria. There were 85 members present. Mrs. Edgar J. Livingstone gave the invocation and Mrs. Ross L. Spencer, president, welcomed all especially three honorary members, Mrs. William Symonds, Mrs. Lawrence Lazelle and Mrs. Fred Doolittle. The secretary's and treasurer's annual report were read.

After the luncheon the play, "Jenny Knows," was presented in the church parlors by a group of members directed by Mrs. A. E. Davis.

In a retiring speech Mrs. Ross L. Spencer presented the State Federation of Women's Clubs pin to the new president, Mrs. Philip Mann, Jr., and with an acceptance speech Mrs. Mann presented a past president's pin to Mrs. Spencer.

This was the end of the 53rd year of the club. The new club season will open on the first Friday in October.

### PVRS Committee Studys Furniture and Equipment

The Pioneer Valley Regional school committee is busy these days. They were to meet last evening to see demonstrations of lawn mowing equipment as well as to consider many other agenda items.

Bids are being sought for visual aids and library furniture and specifications will soon be issued for supplying movie and film strip projectors for the auditorium and the classrooms; also for tables, chairs, checkout desks and equipment for the library.

Traffic signs will soon be placed at both entrances of the school after a detailed study.

The problem of stage lighting is still unsolved and further investigation will be made before corrections can be made. A large outdoor American flag has been

### \$451.72 Collected For Cancer to Date

This week the collection of funds for the annual cancer drive is under way with Mrs. Frank Bordner and Mrs. Floyd M. Dunnett as co-chairmen. The captains who have secured solicitors and have charge of their immediate areas are Mrs. Walter Clark, Mrs. Raymond Parenteau, Mrs. Edward Tie, Mrs. Albert Stompe, Mrs. Ross L. Spencer, Jr., Mrs. Edward M. Powell, Mrs. Donald McCollester, Mrs. Louis Sojka, Mrs. Bradford Newcomb and Edwin Finch.

The solicitors and their areas were these: Main street, Mrs. Niles Stone, Mrs. Margaret Lombard, Mrs. Albert Stompe, Mrs. Maude Wood, Mrs. Warren Whitney; Parker avenue, Mrs. David Quinn; Meadow street, Mrs. Fred Huber; Main street, East Northfield, Miss Natalie Breismaster, Mrs. Richard Holbrook, Jr., Mrs. Ross L. Spencer, Jr.; Wanamaker road, Mrs. Robert Schouler; Hinsdale and Ashuelot roads, Miss Jessica Walker; Pierson road, Mrs. Robert Remillard; Winchester road, Mrs. A. E. French; Winchester road and North Lane, Mrs. Edmund Sliz; Birnam road, Miss Sophie Servaes, Mrs. Eugene Gancarz; Beers Plain road, Mrs. Roger Greenwood; Warwick avenue, Mrs. Julian Barber, Mrs. Norman Hale; Maple street, Mrs. Leslie Martin; School street, Mrs. James Dale; East street, Mrs. Edward Luciew; Pine street, Dr. George B. Granger; Highland avenue and adjacent streets, Mrs. Chester McCracken, Mrs. Edward M. Powell; South Vernon, Mrs. H. L. Bosworth; West Northfield, Mrs. Harrison Stacy, Mrs. Leslie Gilson, Mrs. Arthur Knapp, Warren Brown; Northfield Farms, Mrs. Alvin Scott, Mrs. Lawrence Hammond, Mrs. Bernard Hall, Mrs. Harold Hartwell and Miss Peggy Streeter.

The Thursday morning report is that \$451.72 has already been turned in to Mrs. Frank Bordner with many solicitors not having reported. The goal this year is \$700. Anyone who was not at home when the neighbor called may place his contribution in the envelop left at his home and send or give it to Mrs. Bordner.

given to the school by the Warwick Parent Teacher association. Outdoor work on the grounds will soon be under way. The landscaping work is still to be done and much work on the athletic fields is necessary.

The building committee for Williamstown visited the school Thursday to inspect the building. Plans are being made for a formal dedication of the building on September 7.

### Field Library Opens Monday

The Field library at Northfield Farms will open on Monday, May 5, for the usual summer schedule of Monday openings. The library will not be open Saturday, tomorrow, May 3.

### Sacred Music Concert To Be Held Sunday

The annual concert of sacred music of the Northfield schools on Sunday afternoon, May 4, will climax a weekend of varied activities here. Other events scheduled include the spring meeting of the board of trustees, the annual tree day program at Northfield and three major athletic events at Mount Hermon.

All tickets for the sacred concert at 3:15 p.m. Sunday in the Northfield auditorium, have been distributed to parents, alumni and friends of the Northfield schools. The service will be amplified and seats provided on the east lawn of the auditorium for those unable to gain admission to the auditorium that they may enjoy the concert.

The tree day pageant at Northfield will begin at 3 p.m. Saturday afternoon and will, as usual, feature classical dancing and a maypole and the crowning of the May queen. The theme of this year's pageant is Alice's Adventures in Wonderland.

Events planned for the trustees include a Friday evening dinner at the Northfield hotel, followed by an informal gathering at President Rudendall's home on the Mount Hermon campus. A meeting of the corporators is scheduled for 9 a.m. Saturday morning and the trustees meeting at 9:30. The members of the board will be given a luncheon at Marquand hall at the girls' school.

Mount Hermon sports events Saturday afternoon will include a varsity lacrosse game with Exeter at 2 p.m. and two contests with Williston academy, tennis at 2 p.m., and baseball at 2:30 p.m.

There will be no church service at Mount Hermon on Sunday morning because of the sacred concert and the morning service at Northfield will begin at 10 a.m. with the Rev. James R. Whyte, chaplain of Mount Hermon school, preaching.

### Nfld Chapter OES Installs Officers

Officers of the Northfield Chapter, Order of Eastern Star, were installed Saturday evening at the Masonic hall on Parker avenue.

The officers are: Addie L. Black, matron; Harold J. Carroll, patron; Louise D. Turner, associate matron; Ralph M. Forsyth, associate patron; Dorothy A. Mann, secretary; Hazel E. Anderson, treasurer; Gertrude I. Morgan, conductress; Rue J. Morgan, associate conductress; Priscilla C. Carroll, chaplain; Ethel M. Carpenter, marshal; Esther M. Leonard, organist; Jennie M. Johnson, Adah; Eleanor C. Schouler, Ruth; Helen M. Stearns, Esther; Marian F. Spencer, Martha; Marion W. Dean, Electa; Leah M. Walbridge, warden; Wayne A. Black, sentinel.

The officers were installed by a team headed by Viola M. Knowlton of Arcana chapter, Greenfield, and Clarence J. Payne.

Past master's jewels were presented Mr. and Mrs. Black by Mr. and Mrs. Roy J. Fiah.

Joseph Kaufman was installing soloist and Esther L. Payne installing organist.

The reception committee members were Willis K. Parker, Priscilla C. Carroll and Evelyn H. Parker, and hospitality committee, Ethel M. Carpenter and Marion F. Spencer. Marion G. Given was in charge of the guest book and Helen Gould was floral marshal.

### DPW to Permit Garden Club

### To Make Traffic Island Bloom

#### Rep. Town Committee Elects Delegates

The Republican town committee met Wednesday evening and elected Mrs. Maude Wood and Harry A. Erickson as delegates to the Republican convention to be held in Worcester June 14.

### PF Vote Funds To Help Others

Lyle Wasser led devotions at Sunday evening's meeting of the Pilgrim Fellowship with 41 members present. The total of \$55.70 earned by the young people was dedicated and \$25 will be sent to the "Share Our Surplus" and \$25 to the "Christian World Service."

The roller skating party held last Monday evening was successful with 50 attending. John Williams of the Mount Hermon school faculty was the guest speaker, his topic being "Why Go to College?" There will be no meeting of this group next week because of the sacred concert.

### Church Brotherhoods Hear Rev. V. Scalise

Rev. Victor Scalise of the Calvary Baptist church of Lowell, formerly pastor of the First Baptist church in Greenfield, was the guest speaker at the meeting of the Franklin County Federation of Church Brotherhoods and Men's clubs at the Trinitarian Congregational church Monday evening.

Introduced by Pres. Fred Bardwell of Whately the speaker's subject was "God's Gift of Laughter." Mr. Scalise said that the ability to laugh when there is no reason for laughing is one of the major joys of life and that people with the power to laugh with a reason are "in love with life and they are the people really in love with God."

A turkey dinner was served by the women of the church in the dining room preceding the program. Rev. Ralph Rood of Greenfield gave the opening prayer and Rev. Joseph W. Reeves of the host church extended greetings to all. Group hymn singing was a part of the program. There were 165 members attending.

### Northfield DAR To Install Officers

The Northfield chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will meet on Monday afternoon, May 5 at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Samuel Bishop. A coffee hour will precede the meeting. There will be an installation of officers, the report of the national convention at Washington, D. C., by the delegate, Miss Fannie Stockbridge and Mrs. Bishop will speak of her recent trip to the Mediterranean countries.

### KIWANIS CLUB

At the Monday evening meeting of the Kiwanis club the guest speaker was Dr. Alexander McAllie of the Franklin County public hospital. He spoke of the facilities, history and needs of hospitals and said that the residents of the county may be proud of their hospital. The program was arranged by Ch. Charles M. Reppeta and his education and fellowship committee.

The members of the Garden club at their meeting Monday evening enjoyed an unusually beautiful showing of colored slides of wild flowers in their natural habitat shown by Kenneth E. Myers of Greenfield. Many of the pictures were of flowers rare and seldom seen in this area. The photography was excellent and Mr. Myers told many interesting facts about the wild flowers shown.

Mrs. Raymond Parenteau presided at the business meeting which preceded the showing of the pictures. An extended permit has been received from the department of public works to have the roadside flower beds in the center of the town as last year. Co-chairmen for the project this year are Mrs. Raymond Parenteau and Paul D. Shores and they will be assisted by Mr. and Mrs. Willis Parker, Mrs. Ross L. Spencer, Jr., Mrs. Arthur Bolton, Jr., George W. Carr and Richard F. Collier. The club voted \$50 toward the expenses of this project. A lawn mower for use in these traffic island areas has been donated by Robert P. Barnes.

Mrs. Raymond Parenteau, Mrs. George B. Granger and Mrs. Walter Bailey spent a day recently arranging flowers at the Leeds Veterans hospital and thanks go to Mrs. Gladys Bistrek and Paul D. Shores for their contributions of greens to take to the hospital. It was voted to undertake this project twice a year.

Mrs. Walter Bailey and Mrs. Raymond Parenteau are attending the annual meeting of the Massachusetts Federation of Garden Clubs at Swampscott May 1 and 2. Mrs. George B. Granger and Mrs. Bailey will attend a class in flower arrangement by Gregory Conway sponsored by the Springfield Garden club on May 5. Two new members, Miss Jill Palmer and Miss Olive Horn were welcomed.

A nominating committee, Mrs. Russell Durgin, Mrs. Harold Carroll and Mrs. Warren Dunklee, will report at the next meeting.

### Nfld Stamp Club Visits Ralph Kruk

The members of the Northfield Stamp club were the guests of Ralph Kruk, president of the Franklin County Stamp club in Greenfield Friday evening.

Mrs. Eugene Miller, Mrs. Emory Rikert and Mrs. Frank Cook provided transportation for Mrs. Fred Arsenault, Miss Sophie Servaes, Christopher Sheldon, David and Rebecca Miller, Nancy Magoon, Robert McCollum, Gary LaBelle and Billy and Charles Cook.

Miss Servaes showed 5000 stamps which included 100 African, 200 South American and 360 world-wide stamps.

The next club meeting will be held on May 9.

### St. Patrick's Plans Communion Breakfast

The annual St. Patrick's church communion breakfast will be held at the Bernardston Inn on Sunday morning, May 4, at 9:45. Reservations should be made with Mrs. John Klowen, Mrs. Frank Rockwell, Mrs. Stanley Powers or Mrs. Raymond Parenteau by May 1.

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## Church Notes

TRINITARIAN CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH  
REV. JOSEPH W. REEVES, Minister

MRS. F. H. MOSSE, Director of Christian Education

IRVING J. LAWRENCE, Choir Director

MRS. BELLE MARDEN, Organist

9:45 a.m., church school.  
11 a.m., public worship. Sermon subject, "Greater Than Happiness."

Pre-school age children attended for the entire hour. Beginning with the second hymn, children of grades 1-4 supervised by students from the Northfield School for Girls.

6:30 p.m., Pilgrim Fellowship meeting has been canceled for this Sunday. Parents to be guests on Sunday evening, May 11.

7:45 p.m., senior choir rehearsal in the vestry.

A potluck supper will be served the church school staff Monday at 6:30 in the vestry. The Rev. Paul B. Myers, minister of Christian education of the Massachusetts Congregational Christian conference, will be guest and speaker. Plans will be made for the observance of Children's day on Sunday, May 25.

A Mother and Daughter party will be held in the vestry Thursday evening, starting with a dessert to be served at 7 o'clock. An entertainment will follow.

The youth choir will rehearse on Friday at 3 p.m. Mrs. Robert P. Barnes, director.

"The Festival of the Christian Family" will be observed at the service of worship Sunday, May 11.

At the Trinitarian Congregational church Sunday morning a large group was welcomed into the membership of the church. They were:

Carol E. Atwood, Mrs. Blanche M. Black, Mrs. Loretta E. Black, Wallis M. Black, Mr. and Mrs. Vincent A. Campbell, Russell F.

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## Pioneer Regional High News

It does not seem possible that any other school could be as busy as our school has been the past week. The seniors returned from the Washington trip, very tired and footsore, but filled with enchanting stories of a week packed with fun and excitement. Every-

one is very much indebted to Mr. and Mrs. Leonard for planning such an educational as well as entertaining trip, and they are also very appreciative of the fact that Mr. and Mrs. John Trumbull were able to go with them on the trip. Photographs taken on the trip are being distributed to the class. A picture taken of the class in front of the nation's capitol is very interesting. The juniors are listening very attentively and quite wistfully, for their turn to go to Washington will be next and they can hardly wait to become seniors in order to go on their class trip.

Report cards were distributed last week and everyone has settled down to the business of finishing the school year in a few short weeks. We are hoping that all students will work hard and make a good record for the final marking period. Following the

receipts of the report cards all parents were invited to attend open house Thursday evening at the Pioneer Valley regional school from 6:45 to 9:15. The purpose of the visiting hours was to give parents an opportunity to consult the teachers and talk over any problems which their sons and

daughters may be having. Teachers are always very happy to meet parents because in this way a better understanding is created between the school and home.

Wednesday under the supervision of Robert Upham a career day program was held in the auditorium. This was the first occasion of its kind to help students

make choices of the career for which they feel they have aptitudes and interests. The speaker

meeting.

7:30 p.m., evening service. Thursday, 7:30 p.m., prayer meeting.

Friday, 3:30, Sing and Bring club.

Friday, 7:30 p.m., prayer and Bible study.

Saturday, 10:05-10:30 a.m., Sing and Bring club on WHAI.

ADVENT CHRISTIAN SOUTH VERNON

REV. EVERETT MOORE, Pastor

MRS. STELLA POWELL, Organist

MRS. HAROLD PARSONS, Sunday School Superintendent

Sunday, 10:30, morning worship, Miss Helen Cunliffe from the American Leprosy mission of Boston will speak. This is the first of a series through May which is mission month. Miss Cunliffe will also speak at the junior church and how a film at the Sunday school hour.

10:30 a.m.—Junior Worship. 11:45—Sunday School.

7 p.m., Young People's meeting. Miss Hazel Merrifield, speaker.

7:30 p.m., evening service, colored slides of Japan to be shown.

Monday evening, Good Neighbors Mother and Daughter banquet.

Thursday, 7:45 p.m., prayer meeting.

Friday, May 9, annual Sunday school concert in charge of Laura Kendall and Martha Ann Dunklee.

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## Mrs. Mabel E. Kelley

Mrs. Mabel E. Kelley, 66, of 57 Main street died at Brattleboro on Monday, April 28.

She was the widow of Burton A. Kelley and had been a resident of Northfield for the past six years, having formerly lived in Greenfield.

She was born in Conway, May 16 1891, the daughter of George and Catherine (Fisher) Turkey. She was a member of St. Patrick's church. She leaves a son, Frank S. of Northfield; three daughters, Miss Lucille Kelley and Mrs. Catherine Gilbert of Northfield and Mrs. Norma Randall of Chelmsford, and seven grandchildren.

Services were held at the McCarthy funeral home in Greenfield Wednesday morning at 8:30, followed by a requiem mass at St. Patrick's church in Northfield at 9 o'clock. Burial was in Calvary cemetery in Greenfield.

Rev. Henry McKeon said the mass and read committal prayers at the grave side. Bearers were Justin Moore, Robert Graves, Frank Shea and Daniel Shea.

Mrs. Helen Stearns of Northfield and Mrs. Florence Wilde of Mount Hermon will be in Atlantic City, May 4 to 9 to attend the supreme session of the White Shrine of Jerusalem.

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# Social and Personal News Notes of the Northfield Area

## Gifts Galore

Schauffler library at Mt. Hermon school has received several outstanding gifts recently. Arthur Gregorian, Hermon '33, gave two beautiful oriental rugs, the one in the lobby being a Serab, about 150 years old. It has the rare design of a Christian cross and a human figure woven into it. The other rug is a Kazak about 100 years old. John Gregorian, a son of the donor, is a sophomore.

Another father who presented the library with a gift is Jay Saunders Redding, who autographed his latest book, "The Lonesome Road." This is the last publication of the Mainstream of America series. His son, Lewis Redding, was in the class of '52, and Brown Redding is Hermon '59.

The most stupendous gift was a collection of 700 books, the gift of Dr. Cassius Lopez De Victoria, Hermon '06. Dr. Victoria was the executor of a friend's estate and bought the collection for Schauffler library. Mr. Moyle of the Hermon staff went to Rye, N. Y., to pack and transport the wonderful acquisition.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell T. Persons and family are moving into the Glenwood avenue house now occupied by the Wards; the house

east of the Porter home. They have been living on Pinemeadow street, but have bought the new home.

Mrs. Jame Ryan and daughter, Diane, have come to spend a month with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Field.

Mrs. Edgar Parker came home from Newport, R. I., for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hyde left a week ago for a two week trip to the South visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Streeter have received word of the birth of a granddaughter, child of Mr. and Mrs. William Reilly of Athol, born April 18.

## Progress

We read under the heading, "Northfield Fifty Years Ago," that the George Wright automobile company is planning to begin the trip from Greenfield to Northfield via Bernardston about May 1, if the roads are good." While we are celebrating this daring event on May 1, we can reflect that "good roads" in those days did not produce taxes such as we have now.

Rev. and Mrs. Edgar Walker of Worcester have spent a few days at their South Vernon farm.

Mrs. Mary Frost has returned to the home of her daughter in Alstead, N. H., following a week's visit with her sister, Mrs. Ernest Blodgett. Mrs. Maria Derodell, who spent the winter in South Vernon, is also visiting her niece in Alstead before returning to Alberta, Canada.

A1/C and Mrs. David Stacy and infant son of Atlanta, Ga., are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Stacy.

Friday morning Mrs. G. B. Granger and Mrs. Walter Bailey of East Northfield and Mrs. Raymond Parenteau of Northfield went to the Leeds hospital in Northampton to arrange flowers for the patients there. They represent the Northfield Garden club. Monday evening in Alexander Hall K. E. Myers of Greenfield spoke on "Wild Flowers in Their Natural Habitat."

Word has been received of the death of Robert Russell, 69, a frequent visitor to Northfield who once lived in the Wyman home on Birnam road. He had been a former minister of Larchmont Presbyterian church in New York, and with his wife was co-head of the Russell Ranch school in Tucson, Ariz. His wife was the former Ellen Stuart, whose brother, Dr. Harold Stuart, married Agnes

Brown, who once lived here. Among his many activities he went with a secretary of the Presbyterian Board of Foreign Missions to Africa where they traveled 18,000 miles, addressed 30,000 converts, took films and brought a baby gorilla back to the Bronx zoo. Surviving are his widow; two sons, James S. of Summit, N. J., and Robert M., Jr., who has gone to be the Presbyterian chaplain at Yale university. A daughter, Mrs. Malcolm Marshall, lives in Washington. Mr. Russell died in Santa Barbara.

## Finest Kind of Reciprocity

The Trinitarian Congregational church, through its Pilgrim Fellowship, has reached a large number of teen-agers this year and for them has planned a variety of Sunday evening programs, trips, weekdays and Sundays, sales and the great New York weekend adventure. Help has been reciprocal, however. On Saturday, April 26, 24 boy and girls went out under the title, "The Lord's Workers" and helped with all kinds of spring chores, indoors and out, for local residents. Sunday, April 27, Jessica Walker soloed in the church anthem at the morning service when six girls took the collection. Also in this same service fourteen young people joined the church. Sunday evening the youth group turned in the money it had earned Saturday for its charity budget, during a service of dedication. This cooperation is reciprocity at its highest level.

The monthly meeting of the American Legion will be held Monday at 8 p.m.

Howard Baker of Mt. Hermon faculty spoke at the weekly luncheon of the Greenfield Kiwanis club this past week at the Weldan hotel.

Miss Fanny Stockbridge has returned from a winter spent in Florida and visits in Washington to her home on Highland avenue.

Mrs. Cortlandt Finch is with her daughter, Mrs. Erwin Flewelling, in Springfield as the latter expects to have an operation in the near future.

Mrs. Shirley Kehl will take a few days' vacation. Her welfare office will be open Wednesday and Thursday morning with Mrs. Joseph Holton in charge.

The spring party of the 20-40 club will start with a potluck supper at 7 p.m. next Friday evening in the vestry of the Trinitarian Congregational church. Members of the supper committee are Mr. and Mrs. Philip Mann, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. John Hammond, Mr. and Mrs. Richard K. Holbrook, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cooke and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Phelps. There will be games and round and square dancing with the caller.

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Clinton Weymouth. Any young couples visiting members of the church over this sacred concert weekend are cordially invited to attend this party Friday night. Please notify Mrs. Frank Bordner if you plan to attend and are not a member of the club.

Dr. Nels Ferre, one of the speakers at Northfield's conference on evangelism this summer, 1958, is the brother of Mrs. Thyra Bjorn, who recently spoke to the fortnightly and is the author of "Papa's Wife" and "Papa's Daughter."

William G. McLoughlin, Jr., assistant professor in the department of political science at Brown university, who came here in 1956 to study the D. L. Moody paper, writes that his book on America's great urban revivalists is to be published soon and will be "out" next fall.

## Joint Sale

On Saturday, May 17, starting at 10 a.m. there will be two sales on the lawn of Green Pastures, home of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Powell. The Girl Scouts will have a food sale, the proceeds going into their oil-furnace fund. The Scouts and executives of the organization will run this sale. At the same time Mrs. E. M. Powell, who formerly ran the Nearly-New shop in her home in 1951, will run a small but selective sale of garments. Consignors may bring their garments (clean, not faded nor patched) to the Powells by appointment any time after May 1. Already men's suits and overcoats, women's dresses, shoes and blouses and some children's clothes have been sent in. The top price for this sale is \$10. The majority of articles will sell for \$5 and under. No commission is involved, the entire money will be given to the individual consignors.

The monthly meeting of the American Legion will be held Monday at 8 p.m.

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Miss Muriel Hart of Scarsdale came to visit Mr. and Mrs. Chester MacCracken on Highland avenue Thursday.

Mrs. Charles Roeder's exhibit of the coat-of-arms of colleges and their seals will be on exhibit in Talcott library May 1-15. Mrs. Roeder painted them herself.

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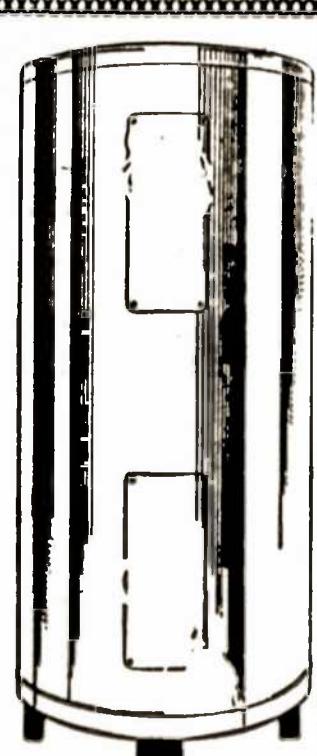
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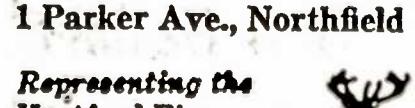
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### Fish and Game Club Plans Annual Supper

The annual banquet of the Fish  
and Game club will be held at the  
Pioneer Valley regional school on  
Saturday, May 24, at 6:30 p.m.  
Roast turkey with all the fixings  
will be served. The price is to be  
\$1.75.

Tickets may be purchased from  
Francis Reed who is in charge of  
tickets or Malcolm Parks, Murray  
Hammond, Charles Streeter and  
Irah Snow of Bernardston. There  
will be door prizes and the usual  
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last week with good audiences  
each evening. The first half of the  
program was presented by the ele-  
mentary students from Warwick,  
Bernardston and Northfield. With  
Eugene Gancarz, their instructor,  
conducting and Paula Smith an-  
nouncing. This group most effi-  
ciently and with true band flair  
played a group of numbers espe-  
cially arranged for them by Mr.  
Gancarz. Soloists were Claude  
Kenney, cornet; Charles Payne,  
clarinet, and Jonathan Fowler,  
snare drum.

Following an intermission the  
high school band gave the second  
half of the concert which opened  
with the playing of "Onward Pion-  
eer" composed by Mr. Gancarz and  
dedicated to the new school.  
Numbers for this part of the con-  
cert were arranged especially for  
the group by Mr. Gancarz. Special  
numbers were by the twirling  
unit, Marilyn Crowtworst, Claire  
Walbridge, Sandra Peterson, Ruth  
Wood, Shirley Johnson and Esther  
Ryther; a clarinet special with  
Peggy Streeter, Beverly Phelps  
and Lois Heselton; Marsha Bill-  
ings, Michele Poneck and Judy  
Rice; tap dancers, and Jessie  
Walker and Marilyn Crowtworst,  
soloists. Richard Repeta an-  
nounced this second half of the  
program.

The members of the PVRS band  
are: trombones, John Stacey, Henry  
Prescott, Paul Abbey, Tim  
Marcy, Homer Browning, David  
Sargent and Fred Holton; cornets,  
Gail Leonard, George Raymond,  
Billy Marcy, James and Richard  
Browning, Raymond Wright, Ray-  
mond Barnes and Judy Shippa;  
clarinets, Peggy Streeter, Beverly  
Phelps, Lois Heselton, Joan Street-  
er, Brenda Billings, Joyce Hollo-  
way, Nancy Schouler, Roy Morgan,  
Leslie Dean, Peter Sargent,  
Christian Gillespie, Eunice Staf-  
ford and Janice Fuller.

Drums, Ronald Jordan, Tevin  
Poneck and David Billings; saxo-  
phones, Edwin Witherell, Michael-  
lyn Caron, Raeline Bardwell and  
Carol Atwood; bells, Barbara  
Johnson.

On behalf of the band members  
George M. Leonard, school prin-  
cipal, presented Mr. Gancarz with  
a gift to express their apprecia-  
tion of his efforts on their behalf.

The proceeds from the two even-  
ing's ticket sales will be added  
to the band uniform fund.

Army Pfc. Vernon P. Jones,  
whose wife, Flora May, lives on  
Route 1, is participating in a field  
training exercise with the 3d Ar-  
mored division near Grafenwohr,  
Germany. The exercise will end  
about May 20.

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### Kiwanis Minstrel Tickets on Sale

Tickets for the Kiwanis club  
minstrel show to be held at the  
town hall on May 16 and 17 are  
now on sale at the Northfield  
Pharmacy and at the Hamilton  
Cigar store, East Northfield.

This is the second annual min-  
strel show to be presented by the  
local Kiwanis club. A most enter-  
taining evening is being planned.

### Mrocze-Turner Nuptials Performed

Sunday afternoon, April 27, at 3  
o'clock at the Trinitarian Congre-  
gational church Jessie Ann Mroc-  
zek, daughter of Mr. and Mrs.  
John H. Mrocze of Maple street,  
and Frank S. Turner, Jr., son of  
Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Turner of  
169 Main street, were married by  
Rev. Joseph Reeves with the dou-  
ble ring service. The church was  
decorated with baskets of white  
gladioli and carnations and pink  
and yellow snapdragons. Mrs. Man-  
uel Lopez sang "The Lord's Prayer,"  
"Because" and "Oh, Promise  
Me." Mrs. Robert P. Barnes was  
organist.

The bride, escorted by her fa-  
ther, John Mrocze, wore a white  
tiered heirloom lace over net bal-  
lerina length gown with lace bole-  
ro jacket and net veil with tiara  
of pearls and net. She carried a  
bouquet of white carnations.

Mrs. Harvey Roberts, Jr., sister  
of the groom, was matron of hon-  
or and bridesmaids were Mrs. Roger  
Bassett and Mrs. Theodore Perez,  
friends of the bride, and Miss  
Carol Turner, sister of the bride-  
groom.

Miss Diane Mrocze, sister of  
the bride, was flower girl and Mas-  
ter Ronald Clark, cousin of the  
bride, ring bearer.

The attendants wore pastel ny-  
lon lace over taffeta gowns and  
carried baskets of carnations and  
sweetpeas.

Harvey A. Roberts, brother-in-  
law of bridegroom, was best man  
and the ushers were Robert E.  
Turner, Jr., Roger Bassett and Ir-  
win Severance, Jr.

A reception in the church ves-  
try followed the ceremony. Mrs.  
Irwin Severance was in charge of  
the guest book and Miss Helen  
Pipes, Mrs. Harold Clark and Mrs.  
Don Casavant served.

The bride's mother wore a navy  
blue sheath dress. Bridegroom's

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### Miss Barber Is Bride Of Paul Richard Lane

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Paul Richard Lane, son of Mrs.  
Edward Lane of West Roxbury,  
were married Sunday at the Meth-  
odist church on East Longmeadow  
by Rev. Ralph Crandall, using  
the double ring ceremony.

Attendants were Miss Carolyn  
Blossom, maid of honor, and the  
Misses Nancy Jean and Virginia  
Lee Waide, bridesmaids. Walter  
E. Waide, Jr., was best man and  
the ushers were Ralph Henshaw  
and Platt Quackenbush. The bride  
wore a floor length gown of hand-  
clipped Chantilly lace over taffeta  
and a shoulder length veil with a  
Juliet cap. She carried a bouquet  
of white orchids and stephanotis.  
The attendants were gowned in  
pink and white.

A reception followed at the  
home of the bride's sister in East  
Longmeadow. Assisting were Miss  
Harriet Cutting of Springfield and  
Mrs. Warren Whitney of North-  
field. The guest book was in  
charge of Mrs. Walter Waide.

The bride is a graduate of the  
Northfield high school and from  
Teachers college and is a teacher  
in the Springfield school system.  
The bridegroom is a chemist. They  
will make their home in Spring-  
field.

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## Community Shows Interest In Summer Playground Program

Marking progress in its plans for Northfield's first summer playground program, July 7 to August 2, inclusive, the playground committee has received applications for the positions of director, assistant director and that of unpaid volunteer assistant. Candidates will be interviewed by the committee at Northfield's Center school Sunday afternoon, May 11. Further candidates for all positions should make application before that date by writing to the committee chairman, William H. Hawley, Northfield, stating age, experience, training, present employment and other qualifications.

Widespread community interest in the project has already been noted, and Northfield's Kiwanis club has contributed a gift of \$50 to supplement the \$500 voted by the town at the annual town meeting in March. Through the generosity of a local citizen arrangements are being made to procure films for showing on rainy days and the Northfield schools are donating the milk for the daily mid-morning break proposed in the program. As soon as the playground staff is selected, the committee and staff will turn to the procurement of equipment and supplies and detailed arrangements for the daily program.

## School Exhibit Shown on TV

Brian Overdorf, vocational-agriculture instructor at the Pioneer Valley regional school, and Brian Scott, a freshman member of FFA, appeared on "Western Massachusetts Highlights" TV program Wednesday evening exhibiting the exhibit, "Pipeline Milkers for Maples." This exhibit, made by pupils at the school, will be sent to the National FFA meeting in the west this year.

## Minstrel Show Makes Progress

The members of the Kiwanis club are completing plans and rehearsals for their annual minstrel show to be presented next week Friday and Saturday evenings, May 23 and 24, at the town hall.

The director for the production is William Forrest, who is well experienced in this type of entertainment. George M. Leonard is to be interlocutor. End men are John Green, Frank Kelley, Corys Heselton, Julian Barber, Edward Parsons and Tom Hurley. A fine program of specialty acts has been planned, among them, a quartet, Paul Mayberry, Dick Field, Bob Abbott and Stanley Powers; a specialty music number by Robert Johnson; Floyd M. Dunnell and Hamilton Cregar; specialty numbers by Dick Williams, Eugene Gancarz, Jessica Walker, Fernand Caron and Peter Ladzinski; tap dancing by Marsha Billings, Judy Rice and Michele Poneck; baton twirling by Claire Walbridge, Sandra Peterson, Ruth Wood and Esther Ryther.

All members of the club make up the chorus. Tickets, 90¢ for adults and 50¢ for students are now on sale at the Northfield Pharmacy and at Hamilton Cregar's store and will be available at the door.

## Benefit Auction Planned Saturday

Saturday, May 10, a benefit auction will be held in the Community hall, Winchester, N. H., to help the handicapped, sponsored by the Morgan Memorial and Goodwill Industries. Benefits will go to help the retarded and to give employment to the unfortunate and provide facilities for the fresh air camps for the children from underprivileged homes.

The sale will begin at 10:30 with lunch served during the day. Hundreds of items of all kinds have been donated. R. E. Newmann, "New England auctioneer," and his staff will conduct the sale. Anyone wishing to donate any items may bring them to the hall Friday afternoon or Saturday morning before the sale.

## GS Committee To Hold Sale

On Saturday, May 17, the Girl Scout Little House committee will sponsor a food sale on the lawn at Green Pastures, the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward M. Powell in East Northfield. The sale will begin at 10 a.m. and continue until 1 p.m.

The committee in charge is Mrs. Stanley Powers, Mrs. Sidney Given, Mrs. William Hawley and Mrs. Raymond Parenteau. Cupcakes, brownies, candy, cookies, cakes and pies are being solicited for the sale and the proceeds will be used for the running expenses of the Little House.

At the same time Mrs. Powell will run a small and selective sale of clothing which will include men's wear, ladies' dresses, shoes and blouses and some children's clothing.

## Fish, Game Assn. Tickets Available

After May 10 tickets to the annual banquet of the Northfield Fish and Game association to be held at the Pioneer Valley regional school auditorium on May 24 will be sold to the public. Previous to that date they have been available to club members only. They may be purchased from Francis Reed, chairman, Malcolm Parks, Murray Hammond, Charles Streetner and Horace Field or from Irrah Snow in Bernardston. It is to be a turkey dinner in charge of Mrs. Stanley Wickey and there are to be many door prizes awarded. Anyone wishing to donate a door prize may contact Irwii M. Sev- erance.

## PVRS Baseball Schedule Is Listed

The remaining games on the baseball schedule for the varsity team of the Pioneer Valley regional school are: May 17 with Frontier regional school here at 2 p.m.; May 23 with Arms academy here at 3:15; May 26 with Frontier at Deerfield at 3:15; May 28 with Mt. Hermon at Mt. Hermon at 3:15; June 3 with Mahar regional school here at 3:15.

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## Trinitarian Parish Holds Annual Meet

The annual meeting of the First Parish, Trinitarian, was held Monday evening at the church vestry with L. Percy Goodspeed, moderator, presiding. Reports of the various church officers and committees were read and accepted by vote. The following officers were elected: moderator, L. Percy Goodspeed; clerk, Mrs. Carroll H. Miller; treasurer, Joseph G. Morgan; parish committee, three years, Leon Dunnell, Mrs. Ann Parker James; Mrs. Ethel M. Carpenter, two years; Mrs. Marion L. Goodspeed, one year; collector, Mrs. Annie Irish; church school superintendent, Ray Knap; nominating committee for 1959, Mrs. Marian Billings, assisted by Clarence H. Spaulding and Mrs. Gaptude I. Morgan; housekeeper, Mrs. Beryl Holloway; head usher, Francis B. Reed; grounds committee, Kenneth Miller, Glenn Billings and Herman Miner; every member canvas, to be appointed by the parish committee; Unitarian service committee, chairman, Mrs. Lewis Ehine; United Unitarian appeal chairman, Mrs. Philip Kavanaugh; religious education committee, Mrs. Velma Miller, Mrs. Edith Smolen, Mrs. Charles Moore.

The parish committee was authorized to raise the necessary funds for the operation of the church during the coming year.

Leon Dunnell was named as a lay delegate to the annual meeting of the American Unitarian association to be held in Boston May 26, 27.

Refreshments were served in charge of Mrs. Bertha Leach, assisted by the parish committee.

## Annual Bird Walk Honors Audubon

The annual Audubon bird walk will be conducted on Saturday, May 10, with Mrs. Irwin Severance in charge. The group will leave the corner of Highland avenue and Holton street, near the chateau, at 8 o'clock in the morning.

Everyone who is interested is invited to go with the group especially the Boy and Girl Scouts. This is an observance of Audubon week in this state and the sanctuaries through the state will be open to the public on Saturday. If the weather is good there will be many looking for birds and enjoying the outdoors on Saturday.

## Music Center Plans Annual May Festival

The sixth annual May Festival sponsored by the Brattleboro Music Center will be held at the high school auditorium Sunday, May 18, at 8 p.m. The program will consist of the Requiem Mass of Cherubini performed by the combined choruses of Marlboro college and the Brattleboro Community chorus with full symphony orchestra. The major orchestral work will be Dvorak's New World Symphony.

Those who have heard these concerts in the past know what a treat awaits them. The concert is being directed again by the internationally known team of Louise and Blanche Moyse. Tickets may be had at the door prior to the concert or by calling Bradford Newcomb at Northfield 348.

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## Nfld Civil Defense Participates In Surprise Live CD Test Tuesday

There was a surprise live Civil Defense test here Tuesday evening changing what had promised to be a quiet evening for the Civil Defense personnel and the Civil Defense first aid class into an exciting and busy one.

A nationwide Civil Defense test had been underway all day but at 7:15 Civil Defense Director Horace Field, on duty at the fire station received a request for aid from the Greenfield county headquarters. The message stated that there had been an explosion at the elementary school in Bernardston and a request for aid had been received. Northfield's mobile first aid unit was ordered to respond.

Immediately auxiliary police, the complete first aid personnel, who were at a class at the town hall with a town truck and cars were alerted, proceeded to the Dickinson Memorial library to load the mobile first aid supply unit stored there and in minutes were on their way to Bernardston. Auxiliary police had been posted at intersections and Bernardston police met the convoy at the Bernardston-Northfield town line as an escort to the place of the emergency.

Arriving at the elementary school litter bearers and first aid technicians proceeded to give first aid, pick up and bring into the cafeteria of the building, set up as a first aid station, three casualties, found in the field at the rear of the school.

These casualties had been previously made up with very realistic injuries and instructed as to the way to play their part according to the injuries. They were:

Duane Bliss, simulating an unconscious victim had suffered a sucking chest wound with severe shock; David Dwight, severe burns and was picked up in a daze, and Nancy Coates, a severely lacerated arm with massive hemorrhages and in severe shock.

Brought into the cafeteria and placed on tables the victims were cared for by orderlies and nurses' aides.

Instruction was given by Mrs. Shirley K. Goodwin, R.N., and Mrs. Marian C. Billings, R.N., and Bernardston nurses assisting were Mrs. Virginia Coates, R.N., and Mrs. Jean Field, R.N.

Lt. Col. Arthur Shupe, Civil Defense director for Sector 4D with Dr. Charles A. MacGregor, Harold E. LeVanway and Malcolm Danforth viewed the test and complimented the unit on its efficient procedure.

Personnel taking part from Northfield were auxiliary police, Paul Thompson, Robert Thompson, Alvin Porter, Ed Hurley and Dwight Stearns; truck driver, Stanley Wickey; instructors of the first aid unit, Mrs. Goodwin and Mrs. Billings; administrative assistant, Miss Alice Peterson; clerks, Mrs. Jean Archibald, Mrs. Evelyn Parker; first aid technicians, Mrs. Ruth Brassor, Mrs. Hazel Anderson, Mrs. Marian Livo- noise, Mrs. Blanche Stacy, Mrs. Bertha Chamberlain, David Billings, Russell Reed, Mrs. Mar- guerite Stacey, John Greene, Mrs. Helen Green; orderlies, Mark Aldrich, Jack Ware, Mrs. Katherine Carey, Mrs. Bernice LaBelle, Miss Mary Ann Wozniak, Mrs. Edith Williams; nurses' aides, Mrs. Virginia Callaghan, Mrs. Dorothy Persons, Mrs. Marguerite Sojka, Mrs. Marguerite Forrest, Mrs. Katherine Field, Mrs. Eleanor Stange; chaplain, Rev. Arthur

## Committee Votes Salary Raises

The Pioneer Valley regional school committee is holding no meeting this week. The next meeting will be on May 15. The Winslow Nurseries of Needham are completing the landscaping of the school grounds which will add to the beauty of the site, also the contractor and two workmen are working on the building in an effort to complete all unfinished details.

At a recent meeting it was voted to raise the salaries of the janitors so that Edward Fortier, head janitor, will receive \$4,100 and his assistant, Ning Der, \$3,900.

The cafeteria staff will also receive raises in their weekly salaries.

The committee viewed demonstrations of lawn mowing and visual aid equipment and will make final decisions concerning them later.

## B. S. Fishermen Hold Contest

Members of the Boy Scouts are having a fishing contest of their own. Alfred Young was awarded the first prize for the largest brook trout caught during the past two weeks and a new contest will be held during the next two weeks. Ray Thompson will measure the fish. At the meeting Monday evening the boys received instruction in bicycle safety, signals and riding skills. The Iroquois patrol has planted a section of white pine seedlings near the Community Drive-In theater. The boys also rehearsed for the Memorial day observance.

Green; first aid technicians in the field, Mrs. Winifred Frazier, Mrs. Mary Holton, Joseph Smolen; messengers, Richard Leach, Jack Mann; litter bearers, David Barnes, John Klowan, Harold Lord, Willis Parker, Harold Carroll, Alfred LaBelle, Richard Holbrook; police escort, Edward Hurley, Northfield, and W. Roy Newton, Clifford Grover of Bernardston; assisting with traffic were William Field, Jr., and Delvy Field of Bernardston; Civil Defense directors, Horace Field of Northfield and John Morgan of Bernardston and deputy director Edward M. Powell, Jr., of Northfield.

Although there was a country-wide test in operation this live test was arranged by local CD directors and instructors, cleared through the Greenfield and state offices and so far as is known is the only such test planned. With over 60 persons participating the test was covered by Mrs. Dorothy A. Magoo, photographer, and Mrs. Esther M. Leonard for the Recorder Gazette, George Milkey for the Springfield Union and by Mrs. Dorothy L. Miller for the Northfield Press and WHAI.

The group returned to the town hall where coffee and cookies were served to all and a brief review of the evening's test was held.

Next week Tuesday evening this Civil Defense first aid class will hold the final meeting of the course. There will be instruction in litter carrying and written test on the course. On the following Tuesday evening the group will enjoy a social evening.

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### Church Notes

TRINITARIAN CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH  
REV. JOSEPH W. REEVES, Minister

MRS. F. H. MOSSE, Director of Christian Education  
IRVING J. LAWRENCE, Choir Director  
MRS. ROBERT P. BARNES, Acting Organist

9:45 a.m., church school.  
11 a.m., Public Worship. Festival of the Christian Family. Sermon subject, "Look Homeward, Angels!" Both choirs will sing.

Pre-school age children attended for the entire hour. Beginning with the second hymn, children of grades 1-4 supervised by students from the Northfield School for Girls.

6:30 p.m., Pilgrim Fellowship of Young People meeting in the vestry. Parents are to be guests. Edward Shearer will lead devotions. Mrs. Lee Bolton will show colored slides of a recent trip through the south and west. Refreshments will be served.

The new church building survey committee will meet in the vestry Monday at 8 p.m.

The youth choir will rehearse on Friday at 3 p.m. Mrs. Robert P. Barnes, director.

An important meeting of the

church cabinet will be held Sunday evening, May 18.

Children's day will be celebrated with a program Sunday, May 25.

#### NORTHFIELD UNITARIAN CHURCH

REV. CHARLES D. MOORE, Minister  
MRS. L. P. GOODSPED, Organist and Choir Director  
RAY A. KNAPP, Church School Superintendent

9:45, Sunday morning worship, sermon topic, "A Privilege and Responsibility."

9:45 church school classes for all ages.

Youth group meetings are to be continued until further notice.

Wednesday, May 14, 6:30, annual supper to be served by a group of ladies from the Advent Christian church. Mrs. Samuel Bishop will show colored slides and tell of her recent trip.

#### ST. PATRICK'S Catholic

REV. HENRY McKEON, Pastor  
REV. ANTHONY RZASA, Curate  
Sunday, 10:30, morning mass.  
9:45, Sunday school.

Wednesday, May 14, 8 p.m., St. Patrick's Guild will meet at the church hall for a regular business meeting.

• NORTHFIELD BAPTIST  
REV. PAUL L. BUBAR, Pastor  
SAMUEL A. BISHOP, Organist  
MRS. RICHARD NEIPP, Assistant Organist

MRS. RALPH PERRY, Pianist  
Saturday, May 10, 4:30 p.m., Youth Workshop.

The Mr. and Mrs. Club will meet Saturday at 7:30. After church Frederic MacNeill will show colored slides of his vacation trip to Arizona, including the Grand Canyon with stopovers in Colorado and California. All couples interested are welcome. Refreshments will be served by the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Canedy of Athol.

Sunday, 8:15 a.m., worship, WHAI.

10 a.m.—Sunday school, Mrs. William Messer, superintendent.  
11 a.m.—Morning worship with sermon.

Nursery and junior church at same hour.  
6:30 p.m.—Young People.  
7, pre-evening service prayer.  
7:30, evening evangelistic hour.  
Tuesday, 7 p.m., Bible study.  
Thursday, 7:30 p.m., "Hour of Power."

COMMUNITY BIBLE CHURCH  
REV. RICHARD GRIFFIN, Pastor  
MISS HAZEL JOY MARCY, Organist  
LAURENCE MARCY, Sunday School Superintendent  
Sunday, 10:30 a.m., Sunday

### Recital to Benefit Church Music Fund

A public recital will be held in the Millers Falls Congregational church this Saturday evening, May 10, at 8 p.m. Organ and vocal selections will be presented by Mrs. Carol Reed, soprano, of Millers Falls and Mrs. Elizabeth Bolton, organist, of Northfield. A free-will offering will be taken which will benefit the church music fund.

Mrs. Reed is living in Millers Falls with her husband and small son, while Mr. Reed is taking a two-year course at Stockbridge School of Forestry. Before her marriage she lived in Philadelphia, Pa., where she studied voice and did solo and choral work.

Mrs. Bolton studied organ privately two years and attended Westminster choir college in Princeton, N. J. She has been organist at the Millers Falls Congregational church the past two years.

school.  
11:30 a.m., worship service.  
6:15 p.m., Young People's meeting.

7:30 p.m., evening service.  
Wednesday 7:30 p.m., prayer meeting.

Friday, 3:30, Sing and Bring club.

Friday, 7:30 p.m., prayer and Bible study.

Saturday, 10:05-10:30 a.m., Sing and Bring club on WHAI.

Saturday afternoon softball for the young people.

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REV. EVERETT MOORE, Pastor  
MRS. STELLA POWELL, Organist  
MRS. HAROLD PARSONS, Sunday School Superintendent

Sunday, 10:30, morning worship, The guest speaker will be Leland Howard of radio HCJB of Quito Ecuador, "The Voice of the Andes." Mr. Howard will speak at all of the Sunday services.

10:30 a.m.—Junior Worship.  
11:45—Sunday School.

7 p.m., Young People's meeting.

7:30 p.m., evening service, speaker, Dr. Linden J. Carter.

Tuesday, South Vernon day, evangelistic meeting at the Riding club at Lake Pleasant, sponsored by the Connecticut Valley Bible conference.

Thursday, 7:45 p.m., prayer meeting.

The ministers of the Advent Christian district conference will meet at the church on Monday for an all day meeting. The social committee will serve a dinner at noon.

CATHEDRAL OF THE PINES Rindge, N. H.

The tribute to all mothers is annually beautifully expressed by the Order of DeMolay through its Mother's day ritual, which will be held on Mother's day, May 11, at 2:30 p.m. This is a non-denominational occasion and there has

never been anyone attend these

rituals but has left the Cathedral with a feeling of gratefulness for his mother. The Derry, N. H., Chapter, Order of DeMolay, will sponsor the service this year.

At 4 p.m. May 11, there will be a special service in the Cathedral sponsored by the State Teachers college, Student Christian association, Fitchburg.

To these as to all services in the Cathedral everyone is welcome.

### Mrs. Billings Warns "Pink Eye" Prevalent

Mrs. Marian Billings, public health nurse, has made her report for the month of April and has called attention to the prevalence of "pink eye" among the school children. All parents who notice signs of redness or discharge from their children's eyes should keep them at home until all such symptoms have disappeared.

Ninety-two calls were made during the month: 79 non-communicable, 5 acute communicable, one post-partum, 9 pre-school, 44 school and 41 adults. Eight home visits were made for tuberculosis follow-ups. Persons with positive Mantoux readings were given chest X-rays at the Pioneer Valley regional school. Three children were taken to the dentist's office for treatment, two to the school physician and one adult to the Franklin county public hospital for treatment.

the school auditorium.  
June 13, graduation.  
June 20, school closes.

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## Social and Personal News Notes of the Northfield Area

At about 10:30 Monday morning the local fire department was called to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Fisher on the Pine Meadow road. Fire and water damage was confined to the roof and chimney after the fire was extinguished by the three engines and 15 men who responded to the call. Damage was estimated at \$500. The fire probably caused by an overheated chimney was discovered by Mrs. Fisher who was at home alone at the time.

Mrs. Mary Holton, who has sold her home on the Mount Hermon road in West Northfield to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Weston of Turners Falls, is having a foundation made on an adjacent lot for her trailer where she and her two children will make their home.

Gilbert Arms, a patient at the Bronson Nursing home, observed his 81st birthday Friday. He is a charter member of the Greenfield Order of Eagles.

The following members of the Women's Guild of the Trinitarian Congregational church attended the May Fellowship day for the United Women of Franklin coun-

ty on Friday in South Deerfield: Mrs. Howard Briggs, Miss Alice Mundee, Miss Mabel Shields, Mrs. Birdsall, Miss Marion Holton, Mrs. Grove Denning, Miss Miriam Trowbridge, Mrs. F. H. Mosse and Mrs. George Carr.

Mrs. Charles W. Rodier of Main street is exhibiting her painted college seals and coats of arms at the Talcott library at the Northfield School for Girls until May 15. Mrs. Rodier's work has unusual beauty of detail and is well worth a special trip to the school to see.

Miss Mary Ann Repeta, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Repeta, was recently elected secretary of the Massachusetts Association of Medical Technologists at the 10th annual convention in Boston. Miss Repeta is a medical technician at the Franklin County public hospital.

A 1/c Robert A. Fisher of Andrews Air Force base, Washington, D. C., has been spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Fisher. Due for a discharge this summer he has signed up for an additional two years enlistment and will attend a medic school in Alabama. He enlisted in July, 1954, and has served nearly half of that time at a base hospital in Japan.

### DAR Installs New Officers

Officers were elected at the meeting of the Daughters of the American Revolution at the home of Mrs. Samuel Bishop on Monday afternoon. These officers named by Mrs. Albert E. Anderson and Mrs. Harold Carroll, the nominating committee, were installed by Mrs. Henry Prescott: regent, Mrs. Robert L. Wood; vice regent, Mrs. Samuel Bishop; recording secretary, Mrs. Joseph W. Holton; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Ross L. Spencer, Jr.; treasurer, Mrs. G. Lee Bolton; chaplain, Mrs. Roger M. Greenwood; registrar, Mrs. Ralph E. Sargent; librarian, Mrs. David C. Cook; historian, Mrs. Ross L. Spencer, past regent.

There were 18 members and one guest attending the meeting which opened with the special ceremony, the salute to the flag, and the singing of America, the Beautiful, accompanied at the piano by Samuel Bishop.

Mrs. Dana Lewis read from the president general's message concerning the accomplishments of the early president of the United States, James Monroe.

The group voted to hold a picnic meeting at the D.A.R. forest in Goshen on June 16.

Miss Fannie Stockbridge, delegate to the Continental Congress in Washington, D. C., gave a most interesting report of the sessions which she attended.

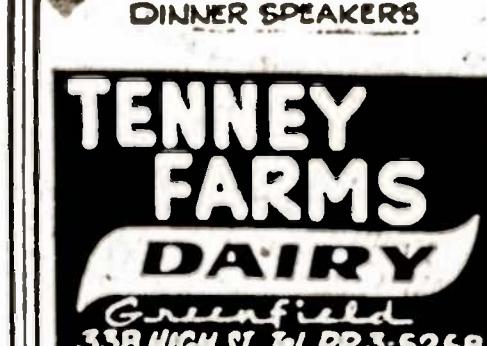
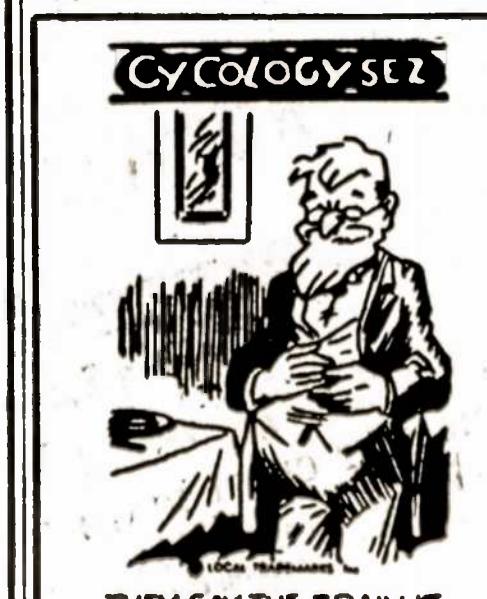
The hostess, Mrs. Bishop, spoke of her recent trip with her husband to the Mediterranean countries and showed a beautiful collection of souvenirs which she brought home with her. It included a large collection of dolls from the various countries, jewelry, embroideries, china, carvings and all types of hand work.

Mrs. Bishop's story of the cruise told many interesting things about the countries visited, the life on the luxury liner, S. S. Olympia, and the side trips which they made.

The meeting was preceded by a coffee hour at which Mrs. Robert L. Wood, regent, poured.

### Card Party Planned

The ladies of the Bernardston Unitarian church are sponsoring a public card party at the Bernardston town hall on Saturday evening at 8 o'clock. There will be prize awards and refreshments served. The committee members are Miss Florence Birks and Miss Florence Wright.



### Baptists Sponsor Youth Workshop

Rev. Carlton H. Gregory, head of the history and philosophy departments at Providence-Barrington Bible college, will be the guest speaker at Youth Workshop being conducted at the Northfield Baptist church on Saturday, May 10, at 4:30 o'clock.

Having been graduated from Providence-Barrington Bible college in 1939, Mr. Gregory received his B.A. degree from Brown university in 1944. He studied at Gordon Divinity school in Boston from 1947 to 1949 and in 1955 received his Master's degree in history and philosophy of religion from Harvard university. He is now completing work at Brown toward his doctorate.

Mr. Gregory has served pastorates in Coventry, R. I., South Medford and Clinton, Conn. Forer activities, he was part-time instructor at Providence until 1952 when he relinquished his pastoral duties in order to assume a full-time teaching position.

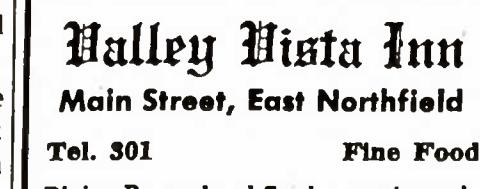
Youths from Brattleboro, Greenfield and North Leverett will be joining in this workshop. Schedule:

4:30, panel discussion, "Working Your Brains; 5:30, New England baked bean supper; 6:30, film, "Getting to Know You"; 7:30, special speaker, Mr. Gregory.

### Outdoor Cooking To Be Demonstrated

One, two, three and the season is on for cookouts and barbecues. Elaborate fireplaces and packs of equipment are not necessary for all the fun of outdoor eating.

The Franklin County Extension Service will have an outdoor cook-

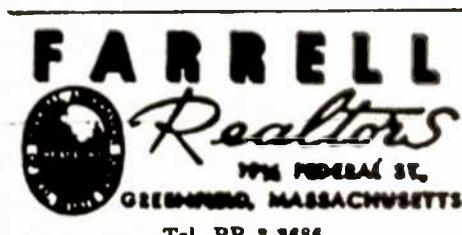


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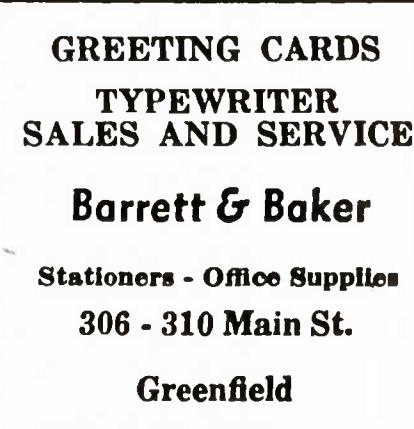
ery meeting for men Tuesday, May 20, 6 to 8 p.m., at the Greenfield swimming pool. Reservations must be made by Friday, May 16, by calling or writing the Franklin County Extension Service, Court House, Greenfield, Prescott 3-9698. There will be a slight charge for the meal.

Several types of fireplaces and grills will be demonstrated and used. Barbecuing kabobs and foil-wrap-type cooking will be shown.



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Harold Wyman  
Talks on Canada

Harold I. Wyman of Birnam road was the guest speaker at the Kiwanis club Monday evening. He is a native of Canada and spoke on that neighboring country. He reviewed its history and told of its development as one of the British commonwealth of nations, the political and physical features, the political and physical features, sources.

Pres. Charles Llewelyn reported on the 40th anniversary meeting of the Northampton club which he visited. He presented a check for \$50 to William H. Hawley for use in purchasing equipment for the summer playground program.

Next Monday evening following the supper and business meeting all members will rehearse at the town hall for the minstrel show to be held there on May 16 and 17.

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## New Trees Planted

## Pioneer Regional High News

Joseph E. Bilmon, tree warden, for the town of Northfield has completed the planting of shade trees on the town streets for which \$200 was appropriated at the last annual town meeting. Norway maples have been set on the Mount Hermon road and Caldwell road in West Northfield and on North lane, Pine street and Glenwood avenue in East Northfield. A red oak was set on Moody street. Rock maples were placed on Warwick avenue, Norway maples on St. Mary's street and East street and Moraine locust on Old Ferry road.

Norway maples were planted on the Upper Farms road, Lower arms road and Cross street at Northfield Farms and Moraine locusts on the Lower Farms road. The locusts are new to folks in this area but they are a very rapid growing tree, disease resistant, with no thorns or berries and with the appearance of an elm.

Again the milk disease spores for the control of Japanese beetle grubs will be distributed beginning next week. Any persons who would like to cooperate in the program may call Mr. Bilmon.

It is planned to have two sprays of 10 per cent D.D.T. for adult Japanese beetles, the first spray on the second week in July and the second the first week in August.

Spraying for poison ivy is also planned and will be done the second week in June. All baseball diamond areas, recreation areas and swimming pools will be taken care of with one spray.

Dormant spray for bark beetles in a 12 per cent D.D.T. solution will be completed this month and the general spray of 6 per cent D.D.T. for elm leaf beetles, forest caterpillar, gypsy moth and fly control will start June 1.

As usual this week has been full of activities and especially busy for the juniors who are preparing for a dance similar to those traditionally put on each year in the past by local high schools.

Tomorrow evening the first junior prom to take place at the Pioneer Valley regional school gymnasium will be held. This is to be a semi-formal affair open to the public as well as to students and teachers. Tickets will be on sale at the door and spectator tickets will be sold.

There will be a special dance for junior girls and their escorts only, so that a queen may be chosen by impartial judges. The queen's court will consist of junior girls.

Music will be supplied by the Silver Diamonds orchestra. The theme of the dance is Sayonara and the theme of the dance is Sayonara.

On May 1 last Thursday night, open house was held at the school from 6:45 until 9:30 p.m. There were over one hundred parents who attended. The teachers had sent home letters inviting the parents of certain students to come so that they could talk over their children's marks with them. Also many parents came voluntarily because they were interested in talking to the teachers and were equally welcomed. The teachers felt that the evening was very worthwhile and hope that the parents did too.

About 300 townspeople were served a delicious supper last Saturday evening by the Pioneer teachers and their husbands and wives. The proceeds from this supper will be added to the scholarship fund. From this fund a scholarship will be awarded to one member of the senior class who plans to obtain further schooling after graduation.

Last Monday during activity

period, all grades held class meetings for the purpose of electing student council representatives. The following people were selected from each class: seniors, John Thayer, Cora Hurlburt, Judy Shippa and Stephanie Horton; juniors, Lee Kemp, Betty Ware and Dorothy Given; sophomores, Linda Streeter and Raymond Glabach; freshmen, Robert Barnes and Marsha Billings; eighth grade, Joan Streeter and Ronald Jordan; seventh grade, Henry Prescott and Nancy Ostrowski.

The seventh grade also elected class officers at this time: president, John Fallon; vice president, David Sargent; secretary, Gail Whitney; treasurer, Gloria Barrett.

Tuesday among the most surprised people in the world was Roland Emery, one of the science teachers. May 6 was his birthday and although he thought it was a deep dark secret some of the inquisitive seventh graders found out about it. Fifteen of them got their heads together and arranged for a cake decorated with red, white and blue frosting as well as some soda pop and gifts to be smuggled into school. This surprise party was greatly enjoyed by the participants at the close of school.

This afternoon the girls' softball team will play its first game at the old high school in Northfield against Amherst. The girls have been practicing for about two weeks, but rain has held them up somewhat lately. Tuesday afternoon the girls went to Northfield to practice on the softball diamond there.

The boys' baseball team is doing a fine job, having won two games and lost only one so far. Unfortunately their game with Williamsburg, scheduled for yesterday afternoon, has been postponed indefinitely because of the weather.

This afternoon from 12:10 to 1 o'clock all students will attend an assembly at which our band will play some of the numbers presented at the recent band concert. Also some of the feature performances of the concert will be re-enacted.

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